IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Confirmation No.: 3355

Dimitri SAEY Art Unit: 2611

Appl. No.: 10/791,527 Examiner: Siu M. Lee
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For: Carrier Grouping In Multi-Carrier

Systems

Comments on Statements of Reasons for Allowance

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated May 31, 2011 (herein the "Notice of Allowability"), Applicant submits the following Remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Allowed Claims

Applicant thanks the Examiner for indicating the allowability of claims 1, 7, 8, 14, 15, 19, 20, 26, and 29 in the Notice of Allowability. (Notice of Allowability, p. 1.)

Comments on Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance

Applicant notes the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance presented in the Notice of Allowability. (Notice of Allowability, pp. 2-3.) Applicant reserves the right to demonstrate claims 1, 7, 8, 14, 15, 19, 20, 26, and 29 are allowable over the art made of record for further reasons related to any of their recited features. Applicant further contends that reservation of this right does not give rise to any implication regarding whether Applicant agrees with or acquiesces in the reasoning provided by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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